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This is to express my opinion that the settlement reached between Microsoft and the DOJ and other states should be approved. The settlement is fair, and it is certainly in the public interest to bring this matter to an end. The uncertainty and anxiety the litigation is adding to generally uncertain economic times will only stifle innovation in the marketplace.

The only people who stand to gain by prolonging this matter are disgruntled competitors and their highly paid lawyers and lobbyists. It's time to get on with it.

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